

Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,

Boston Mass.,

July 30, 1884.

Sir:

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Naturally there is always some contention by the banks from whom these are received, as to their genuineness, and aside from the satisfaction in submitting this to you, I shall be glad to hear that you coincide with this office, in verifying our judgment as to its character.

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It will be found that this piece is a grain heavier than a genuine uncirculated piece. If you deem it

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assayed, you are at liberty to thus test it,
otherwise I would prefer to hold it as it is.

To the Hon
Superintendent
U.S. Mint
Phil^a Pa.

Very respectfully
Wm. Meeman
Asst Treas U.S.

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BOSTON, MASS.,

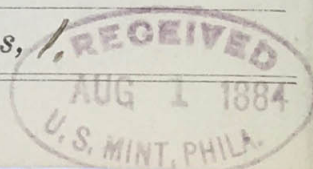
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M. W. Kennard

U. S. Assistant Treasurer.

Encloses
for examination
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No. of Enclosures, 1,



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